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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**  
**TRANSMITTAL FORM (37 C.F.R. § 1.114)**

DOCKET NO. 10760/75	APPLICATION SERIAL NO. 09/550,306	EXAMINER J. Quellette	ART UNIT 3629
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This is a **Request for Continued Examination** under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (RCE) of allowed application Serial No. 09/550,306, filed on April 12, 2000, entitled **RESPONDING TO REQUESTS FOR DATA**.

The following constitute the submission **required** by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(a) and is attached:

- ☒ (Preliminary) Amendment  
☐ Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449  
☐ Drawing Changes  
☐ Other Submission: \_\_\_\_\_

1. The filing fee for this RCE and the required amendment/submission is calculated below. The fee below is calculated based on the status of the claims after the entry of the attached amendment/submission. The fee for any new additional claims is included with this RCE, the fee for previously entered additional claims having already been paid.

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	MINUS	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA*	RATE (\$) PER CLAIM	FEE (\$)
BASIC FEE						790.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	21		21	0	50.00	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	8		6	2	200.00	400.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					390.00	
				*Number extra must be zero or larger	TOTAL	1,190.00
	If Applicant is a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.					SMALL ENTITY TOTAL .00

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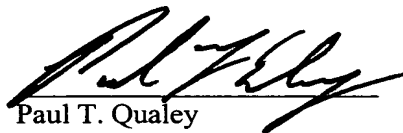
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2. Please charge the required RCE and submission filing fee of **\$1,190.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
3. Applicant respectfully requests a **three-month extension of time** in which to file a response to the Notice of Appeal (filed February 28, 2005), for which a two-month response period expiring on April 28, 2005 was set. The extended period expires on July 28, 2005. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) extension fee of **\$1,020.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
4. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the fees, including any additional fees required, associated with this communication or arising during the pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
5. A duplicate copy of this transmittal form is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,  
KENYON & KENYON

Dated:

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